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Mr. Carroll L. Wilson  
General Manager  
U. S. Atomic Energy Commission  
Washington 25, D. C.

Dear Mr. Wilson:

I must apologize most humbly and sincerely for failing to answer your letter of 20 May 1948 before this time. The only excuse that I can offer is that I really believed the reply had been written inasmuch as I had talked to Admiral Gingrich and to Dr. Colby about the latter's coming to the last Intelligence Advisory Committee meeting. In the meantime your letter had disappeared from my action box. It has now come back to my attention, and I wish to assure you that the Intelligence Advisory Committee will be most happy to have Dr. Colby as the member representing the Atomic Energy Commission. Dr. Colby has already been informed of this orally, but this letter is to confirm the fact.

Again I beg of you to accept my profuse apologies for this delay.

Sincerely,

SIGNED

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Rear Admiral, USN  
Director of Central  
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